

## Keep it Clean Partnership

August 2, 2016

Steering Committee Meeting Minutes

4049 75<sup>th</sup> Street

Boulder, CO

2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

### Attendees:

Janice Lopitz, KICP Project Coordinator

Scott Coulson, Boulder County Public Health/Water Quality

Steven Chase, City of Boulder/ Water Quality

Mick Forrester, City of Lafayette/Public Works

Judah Gaioni, City of Longmont/Natural Resources

Rebecca Wertz, City of Louisville/Public Works

Wendi Palmer, Town of Erie/Public Works

### **I. Approval of Minutes**

**All**

July minutes approved.

### **II. Coordinator and Partner Updates**

**All**

General updates:

- Permit compliance approach (data gap tool and then PDD 1/1/19) and timeline shared. Janice Lopitz will email out with the joint jurisdictional template. In the future a record keeping template and annual reporting evaluation language will be provided by Colorado Stormwater Council.
- Finalizing the 2016 Watershed Monitoring Report and Nutrient and E. coli factsheets.
  - Janice Lopitz will work with Jane Clary to meet with laboratory managers about data collection's goals and opportunities – October will be the targeted time frame.
- Continued Watershed Group discussion – County survey and sustainability plan <http://www.bouldercounty.org/env/sustainability/pages/envsustainabilityplan.aspx> were discussed. Mick Forrester suggested determining the desired outcomes and working backward. Beyond stormwater is desirable. Master Plans coordination was mentioned. Water Quality data coordination continues to be a theme.
- Colorado Stormwater Council – outreach efforts – RTD and website.
- Colorado Ocean Coalition Waterkeeper progress/press release.
- CDPHE permit fees and water quality impairment mapping where presented to the Colorado Stormwater Council by CDPHE representatives. The shape files are able to be downloaded.
- Atmospheric nitrogen monitoring with USGS – Janice will follow up with Bret Linenfelser on City of Boulder interest.
- Mini-campaign discussion - trash was landed on as being the next logical campaign focus.
  - In general, the Partners don't feel residential **car washing** is a significant issue. As for articulating the car exhaust/atmospheric nitrogen message it

may focus too much on the “don’t drive” solution, which might not be realistic – and the conversation is complicated. Oil leaks could be discussed at a later date.

- Dog guardians are doing a better job pick up **dog poop** – continuing to provide the dog waste bag dispensers is a good idea.
- We can’t provide a **trash** prevention message - on something that will become trash – so door hangers would not be a good idea.
- Can we move back to the **door hanger** with the tributary sign look and the general stormwater message – maybe with a **message thanking folks for continuing to protect our creeks and spread the word storm drains are connected to creeks** - would be better received? Having the Youth Corps deliver these is great and the group did discuss the 3 out 3,500 complaints and decide that we should not be deterred from this form of distribution.
- As for the **trash** campaign the ideas that arose:
  - Not sure how to reach residents – utility bill might be the best if we can coordinate – though these may be come trash.
  - Cigarette disposal is an issue.
  - The need for messaging to the commercial businesses is clearer to the Partners than the residential messaging approach. There are still problems out there – dumpsters open, grease spills –providing the message/image to PACE for use in their newsletter, direct outreach, and regional training is desirable.
  - A sticker for residential and commercial trash cans might be a give-away to consider – though the group pointed out that residential cans are usually closed.
  - The construction and municipal sectors industry could use the image/message as well in the trainings– permit requirement.
  - Involve the haulers?
  - Which media distribution avenue would the message/image be best in?

### III. Workgroup Updates

**MCM 1/2**

2<sup>nd</sup> quarter status report

2017 mini-campaign –trash was landed on as the next focus.

Give away material distribution – the Partners were provided collateral to take back to their communities.

Rain barrel blog was mentioned

**MCM 3/6**

2<sup>nd</sup> quarter status report

September 29 at 10 a.m. for the regional stormwater training.

PACE support for new permit requirements – PACE will confirmation with each Partner during the site inspections on 2017 that the municipal runoff control plans exists. The compliance deadline is 7/1/17.

**MCM 4/5**

Stormwater Management Plan Administrator Certification, October 18-19, 2016 8– 5  
Boulder County has released an RFP for support for their construction and post-construction program.

## Annual/Budget/Permit

Mid-year budget summary was reviewed and will be posted to the website.

### 2016 meetings

<b>DATE</b>	<b>Steering</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>
January 5	2-4	Design Standards and E coli discussion
February 2	2-4	CANCELLED due to weather
March 1	2-4	End of Year report outs
April 5	2-4	Budget preliminary approval
May 3	2-4	Permit Release discussion
May 10	1:30-4:30	KICP Monitoring Annual meeting to discuss draft, Neonics, COB E. coli TMDL, BOCO Open Space Monitoring
June 7	2-4	Permit discussion
July 5	2-4	CANCELLED
August 2	2-4	Mid-Year status
September 6	2-4	
October 4	2-4	PACE 2017 SOW
November 1	2-4	Discussion construction/post trainings for 2017
December 6	2-4	2017 Budget approval